Improving efficiency and transparency in the functioning of AICTE is a continuous process. Towards this end, AICTE has recently taken up various initiatives which include preparation of Approval Process Handkbook depicting various stages in processing of applications 2006-07, receipt of applications and communication of decisions on-line, laying down time schedule for processing applications, system of random generation of names of experts for inspection committees, etc. The calendar-based process has been abjured and now applications can be submitted throughout the year. Besides the above, the Right to Information Act, 2005 is applicable to AICTE also.

(d) There are 25 such proposals, which have not yet been approved due to certain deficiencies.

**Anganwadi centres**

469. SHRI PRASANTA CHATTERJEE: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is a wide variation in between the number of sanctioned and operational Anganwadi centres;

(b) whether it is also a fact that there is an acute shortage of Anganwadi workers in different States; and

(c) if so, the details thereof as on the 30th June, 2005, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KANTI SINGH): (a) to (c) State-wise numbers of Anganwadi Centres sanctioned, operational and number of Anganwadi workers in-position as on 30.6.2005, are given in the enclosed Statement.

***Statement***

*State-wise details of Anganwadi Centres and Anganwadi workers*

| Sl. No. | State/UT | Number of Anganwadi Centres (AWCs) as on 30.6.2005 | | Number of Anganwadi workers in-position as on 30.6.2005 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Sanctioned | Operational | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | 56204 | 54870 | 53995 |
| 2 | Arunachal Pradesh | 2359 | 2359 | 2359 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | Assam# | 25416 | 25302 | 24797 |
| 4 | Bihar | 60813 | 57486 | 60016 |
| 5 | Chhattisgarh | 20289 | 20289 | 20117 |
| 6 | Goa | 1012 | 1012 | 1007 |
| 7 | Gujarat | 37961 | 37398 | 35745 |
| 8 | Haryana | 13546 | 13546 | 13446 |
| 9 | Himachal Pradesh | 7354 | 7354 | 7321 |
| 10 | Jammu & Kashmir## | 18772 | 10398 | 10398 |
| 11 | Jharkhand | 24171 | 22170 | 20468 |
| 12 | Karnataka | 40301 | 40301 | 39779 |
| 13 | Kerala | 25393 | 25359 | 25219 |
| 14 | Madhya Pradesh | 49787 | 49710 | 49576 |
| 15 | Maharashtra | 62716 | 62679 | 61220 |
| 16 | Manipur | 4501 | 4500 | 4496 |
| 17 | Meghalaya | 2218 | 2218 | 2218 |
| 18 | Mizoram | 1361 | 1361 | 1361 |
| 19 | Nagaland | 2770 | 2770 | 2681 |
| 20 | Orissa | 34201 | 34201 | 33291 |
| 21 | Punjab | 14730 | 14730 | 14620 |
| 22 | Rajasthan | 35821 | 35821 | 35627 |
| 23 | Sikkim | 500 | 500 | 497 |
| 24 | Tamil Nadu | 42677 | 42677 | 42279 |
| 25 | Tripura | 3874 | 3768 | 3789 |
| 26 | Uttar Pradesh | 106059 | 101114 | 98113 |
| 27 | Uttaranchal | 6658 | 6609 | 6505 |
| 28 | West Bengal | 57540 | 54624 | 53220 |
| 29 | A & N Islands | 527 | 527 | 527 |
| 30 | Chandigarh | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| 31 | Delhi | 3902 | 3842 | 3842 |

#As on 317.2004.

##19 new ICDS Projects and 6817 Anganwadi centres were sanctioned in Jammu & Kashmir on 2nd December, 2004 as part of expansion of ICDS Scheme

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 32 | Dadra & N Haveli | 138 | 138 | 138 |
| 33 | Daman & Diu | 87 | 87 | 87 |
| 34 | Lakshadweep | 74 | 74 | 74 |
| 35 | Pondicherry | 677 | 677 | 677 |
| | ALL INDIA | 764709 | 740771 | 729815 |

**IISc in Orissa**

470. SHRI RUDRANARAYAN PANY:
MS. PRAMILA BOHIDAR:
SHRI B. J. PANDA:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have taken a decision to set up-an Indian Institute of Science (IISc) in Orissa on the model of IISc, Bangalore and allocated Rs. 100 crore for four such new institutions of excellence including the one in Bhubaneswar;

(b) whether Orissa has identified 75 acres of land for the purpose;

(c) whether this institute is now proposed to be shifted out of the State and the Chief Minister of the State has written a letter to the Prime Minister against this move, especially when the State does not possess any reputed national institute like IIT, IIM, etc.; and

(d) if so, the status thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

**Cases of domestic violence**

471. MS. PRAMILA BOHIDAR:
SHRI B. J. PANDA:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state: